

REMARKS

With regard to the objection to the drawings, the Examiner has informed the undersigned, in a telephone discussion on July 19, 2005, that the drawing filed January 24, 2005 has been approved, and that no further action with regard to the drawing is required.

The Examiner has allowed Claims 22-24, 26-28, 30, and 31, and has rejected Claims 19-21, 25, and 29.

Applicants have cancelled Claims 19-21, 25, and 29. Therefore all of the pending claims are believed allowable, and no discussion of the references is believed necessary.

The cancellation of the above-mentioned claims is made without prejudice, and Applicants reserve the right to file a further application to prosecute the subject matter of the cancelled claims.

Applicants therefore submit that the application, as amended, is in condition for allowance. Applicants request entry of this Amendment, reconsideration by the Examiner, and early favorable action.